



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

In re the Application of: **KOYAMA, eiichi et al.**

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Serial No.: **09/726,381**

Examiner: **PIERCE, Jeremy R.**

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For: **THREE-DIMENSION CERAMICS STRUCTURE AND
METHOD FOR PRODUCING THE SAME**

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Date: December 23, 2003

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated **June 27, 2003** of the Primary Examiner.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

1. ☒ A petition for a three- month extension of time to respond to the Final Rejection was filed on 12/23/03.
2. ☒ A timely response to the Final Rejection has been filed, as provided in 37 C.F.R. 1.113.
3. ☒ Fee -\$330.00

☒ Enclosed
☐ Not required (fee paid in prior appeal)
☐ Charge to Deposit Account No. 01-2340

In the event this Notice of Appeal is not considered to be timely filed, Applicant hereby petitions for an appropriate extension of time. The fee for this extension may be charged to our Deposit Account No. 01-2340, along with any other additional fees which may be required with respect to this Notice.

Respectfully submitted,

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